

MT BARKER TURF CLUB, RACING SCHEDULE

675. Hon M G House to the Minister representing the Minister for Racing and Gaming

With reference to the answer to question on notice No. 408 and given the Minister's support for the Mount Barker Turf Club's efforts to secure eight scheduled races this racing season, what is the Minister actually doing to make sure this occurs?

Mr RIPPER replied:

The operation of the Racing Restrictions Act 1917 means that the licensing of racing clubs and the allocation of race dates is a matter for the Western Australian Turf Club not the Minister for Racing and Gaming

However, my support for the proposed races is a matter of public record. The Hon Member is invited to place on the public record his support or otherwise.
